IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

ROMELL THOMPSON, :

Petitioner, : 1:15-cv-0380

v. : Hon. John E. Jones III

:

FACILITY MANAGER, TAMMY

FERGUSON, et al.,

Respondents. :

<u>ORDER</u>

February 18, 2016

Upon consideration of the petition for writ of habeas corpus (Doc. 1), and in accordance with the Court's memorandum of the same date, **IT IS HEREBY**

ORDERED THAT:

- 1. The petition for writ of habeas corpus (Doc. 1) pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2254 is DENIED as time-barred by the statute of limitations. *See* 28 U.S.C. § 2244(d).
- 2. There is no basis for the issuance of a certificate of appealability. *See* 28 U.S.C. § 2253(c).
- 3. The Clerk of Court is directed to CLOSE this case.

s/ John E. Jones IIIJohn E. Jones IIIUnited States District Judge